



# MARINE RESOURCES ADVISORY COUNCIL

February 9, 2016

# Agenda

<b>Time</b>	<b>Topic</b>
10:00 a.m.	Welcome and introductions
10:10 a.m.	Recent ocean acidification happenings
11:10 a.m.	MRAC 2016 work plan and strategy
11:30 a.m.	Northwest Straits outreach project
11:40 a.m.	University of Washington student project introduction
11:55 a.m.	Puget Sound Partnership update
12:15 p.m.	Lunch
1:00 p.m.	Monitoring and investigation priorities discussion
3:10 p.m.	COP 21 update
3:25 p.m.	Next steps
3:30 p.m.	Adjourn

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Welcome and introductions



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Recent ocean acidification happenings



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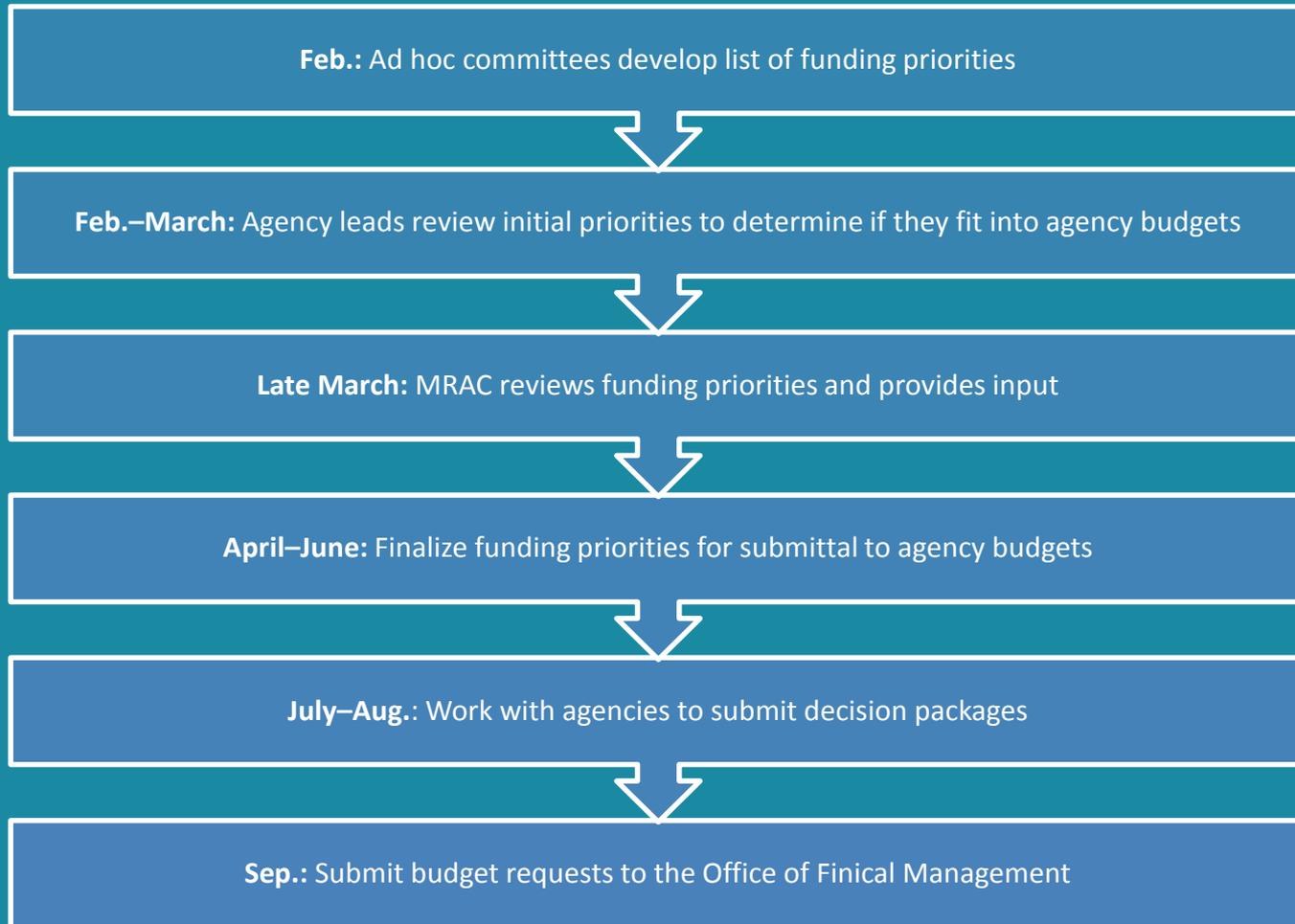
MRAC 2016 work plan & strategy



# 2016 MRAC Goals

- Develop 2017-19 funding requests that relate to four key Blue Ribbon Panel topics
- Tell the story of MRAC's successes and what work is still needed
  - Hold legislative work sessions with committees in the House and Senate

# Process for developing MRAC funding request



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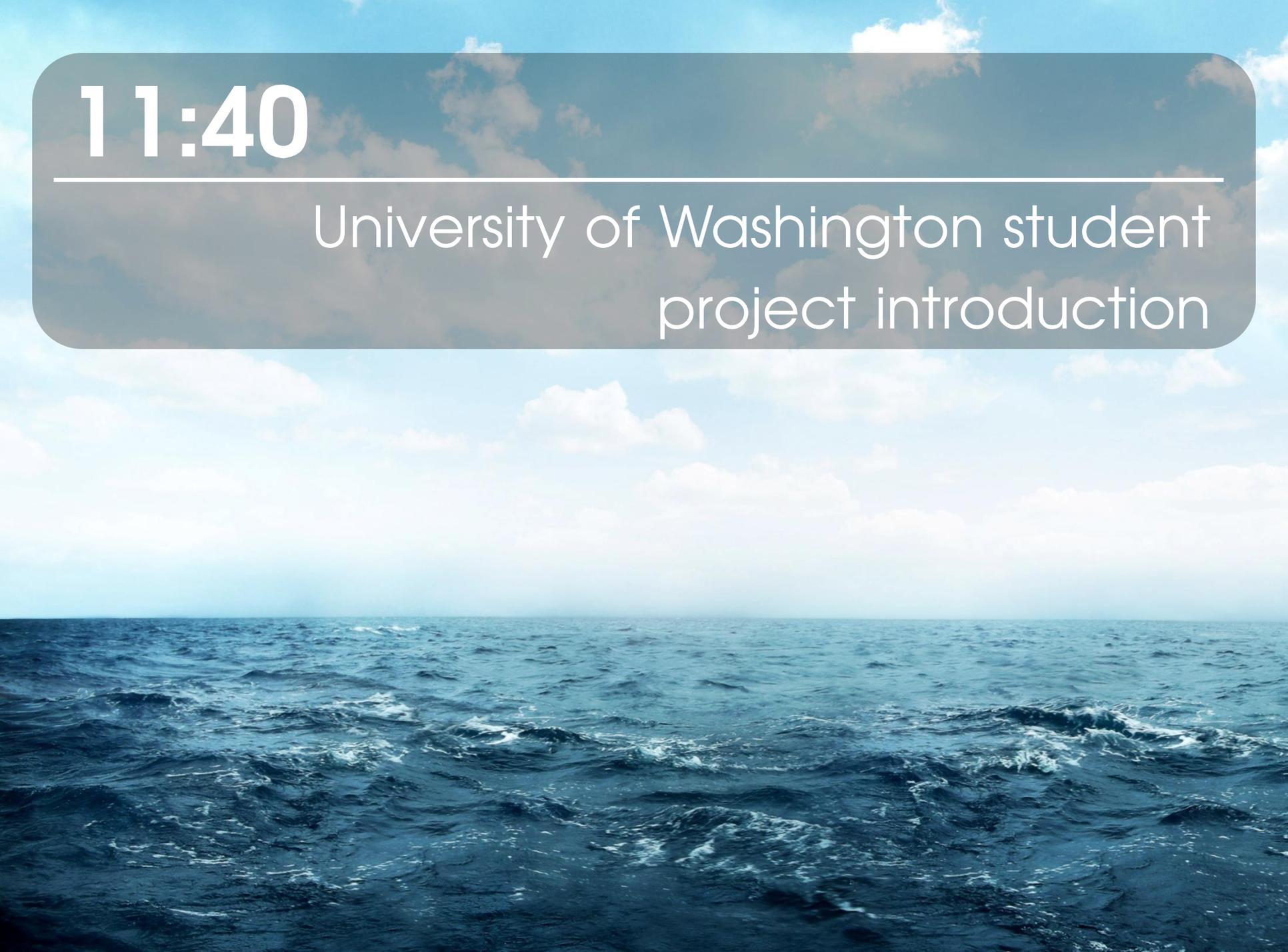
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Monitoring and investigation  
priorities discussion



# Monitoring and investigation state funding in 2015-17

- \$625,000 for monitoring (WOAC), ongoing
- \$150,000 for forecast model (WOAC), ongoing
- \$200,000 for biological experiments (WOAC)
- \$575,00 for operations (WOAC), ongoing

# Progress on OA science

We will hear from:

- Washington Ocean Acidification Center
- NOAA
- Ecology
- Fish and Wildlife
- WSU

# Discussion

- What new monitoring and investigation efforts may need funding in the next two years?

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COP 21 update



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Next steps



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Adjourn

